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Subject: RE: LINDA/OPP: INVESTIGATE MIDWEST - Guidance on FIFRA 24(c) Registrations

Importance: High

Hi Donna,

Please review this press inquiry response on 24(c) by 3pm today. OGC has reviewed and

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Colleagues, another one. Thanks in advance, R.

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Hello,

I'm working on a story about the newly announced re-evaluation by the EPA of FIFRA 24(c) SLN registrations:

<https://www.epa.gov/pesticide-registration/guidance-fifra-24c-registrations>

Could someone from the EPA who's been involved in this decision be made available for an interview this week? I have a deadline of Friday, noon CST.

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Let me know. I'd still rather speak to someone, if that is possible, but I understand the time limitations.

Let me know.

Thanks,

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